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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF STATES

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 4th January 1949

No. 1-P.—WHEREAS the Central Government has full and exclusive authority, jurisdiction and powers for and in relation to the governance of the State of Sirohi;

Now, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 3 and 4 of the Extra-Provincial Jurisdiction Act, 1947 (XLVII of 1947) and of all other powers enabling it in this behalf, the Central Government is pleased to make the following Order:—

1. **Short title, extent and commencement.**—(1) This order may be called the Sirohi (Administration) Order, 1948.

(2) It extends to the whole of Sirohi.

(3) It shall come into force on the 5th day of January, 1949.

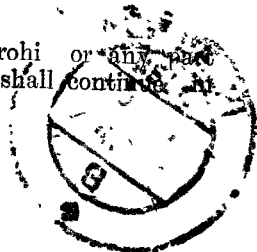
2. **Definition.**—In this order, 'Sirohi' means the whole of the area which immediately before the commencement of this Order is comprised within the State of Sirohi.

3. **Administration of Sirohi on behalf of the Central Government.**—The Government of Bombay shall administer Sirohi on behalf of the Central Government.

4. **Appointment of functionaries.**—Subject to the direction and control of the Central Government, the Government of Bombay may appoint such judges, Magistrates and other Officers as may be necessary for the administration of the Sirohi State and may, by general or special order, determine their jurisdiction, powers, duties and functions.

(2) Without prejudice to the provisions of sub-paragraph (1), all Judges, Magistrates and other Officers who immediately before the commencement of this Order, were exercising lawful functions in the Sirohi State or any part thereof shall until other provisions is made by the Government of Bombay continue to exercise their respective powers and jurisdiction and perform their respective duties and functions in the same manner and to the same extent as they were doing before the commencement of this Order.

5. **Existing laws to continue.**—All Laws in force in Sirohi or any part thereof immediately before the commencement of this Order shall continue in force until repealed or amended by a competent authority:



Provided that all powers exercisable under the said laws by the Regent Council of Sirohi or the Government of Sirohi shall be exercisable by the Government of Bombay.

6. Continuance of existing taxes.—All taxes, duties, cesses or fees which immediately before the commencement of this Order, were being lawfully levied in Sirohi or any part thereof shall continue to be levied and applied to the same purposes, until other provision is made by a competent legislature or authority.

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